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COMMENTS ON
STATEMENT OF REASONS FOR ALLOWANCE

Dear Sir:

This Comments on Statement of Reasons for Allowance is filed responsive to the Notice of Allowability dated April 28, 2005. Applicants respectfully request these comments be entered in the application file with the appropriate notation.

Comments begin on page 2 of this paper.

COMMENTS

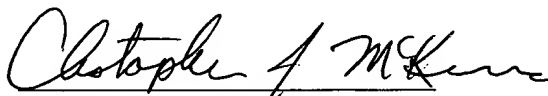
Applicants agree with the Examiner's statement identifying the claim limitations that the prior art of record does not disclose, teach or suggest. However, Applicants respectfully disagree with the following Examiner's statement in paragraph 6 of the Notice of Allowability:

"As to independent claims 1, 12, 13, 22, 37 and 46, prior art teaches generating by a ticket service, a ticket having an identifier and a session key. Prior art teaches obtaining, by the web server, the ticket from the ticket service. Prior art teaches transmitting, by the web server, the ticket to the client over a secure communication channel. Prior art teaches transmitting, by the client, the identifier from the ticket to the application server. Prior art teaches obtaining, by the application server, a copy of the session key from the ticket service using the identifier. Prior art teaches establishing an application communication channel between the client and the application server. All as taught by Carino, Jr et al U.S. Patent No. 6,651,072 B1 (hereinafter Carino)."

Respectfully submitted,

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